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Statistics Reflecting Dispositions of Appeals – Summary Spreadsheet, FOIA Reply 06-146, and PTO's web pages of dispositions on appeal

Appeal Conference (as of March 2006)

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1998	5,609	5,548	3,235	58.3%	698	12.6%	1,540	27.8%	76	1.4%
1999	5,500	5,432	2,862	52.7%	825	15.2%	1,673	30.8%	74	1.4%
2000	5,934	5,873	2,758	47.0%	1,214	20.7%	1,813	30.9%	89	1.5%
2001	6,706	6,633	2,707	40.8%	1,651	24.9%	2,195	33.1%	83	1.3%
2002	7,001	6,885	2,709	39.3%	1,855	26.9%	2,264	32.9%	58	0.8%
2003	8,289	8,141	3,248	39.9%	2,419	29.7%	2,424	29.8%	52	0.6%
2004	9,470	9,126	3,676	40.3%	2,969	32.5%	2,394	26.2%	88	1.0%
2005	11,263	9,726	4,120	42.4%	3,370	34.6%	2,147	22.1%	93	1.0%
2006 ¹⁹	6,055	2,092	994	47.5%	677	32.4%	389	18.6%	32	1.5%

Board of Patent Appeals (as of Sept 27, 2007)

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2000	4,963	1,442	29.1%	518	10.4%	1,930	38.9%	911	18.4%	152	3.1%	10	0.2%
2001	5,075	1,516	29.9%	459	9.0%	1,868	36.8%	1,089	21.5%	143	2.8%	0	0.0%
2002	5,062	1,509	29.8%	471	9.3%	1,895	37.4%	1,095	21.6%	92	1.8%	0	0.0%
2003	3,815	1,398	36.6%	413	10.8%	1,490	39.1%	453	11.9%	61	1.6%	0	0.0%
2004	3,436	1,276	37.1%	401	11.7%	1,282	37.3%	397	11.6%	80	2.3%	0	0.0%
2005	2,937	1,121	38.2%	366	12.5%	1,163	39.6%	176	6.0%	111	3.8%	0	0.0%
2006	2,874	1,256	43.7%	348	12.1%	1,001	34.8%	179	6.2%	90	3.1%		·

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¹⁹ The rise in affirmance rate for FY 2006 may be due to the "Pre-Appeal Review" program. The number of rejections vacated and reversed in this program are not reflected in the statistics presented. Thus, the FY 2006 statistics overstate the number of affirmance.



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

GENERAL COUNSEL

MAR 1 4 2006

Mr. David Boundy Willkie Farr & Gallagher 787 Seventh Ave. New York, NY 10021

Re: Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Request No. 06-146

Dear Mr. Boundy:

The Office of the General Counsel has received your e-mail dated February 19, 2006, in which you requested, under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, a copy of:

- "(1) Attached are two documents I obtained from PTO some time ago. If updated editions of these documents exist, please send them;
- (2) Both documents noted in request 1 state that they omit a substantial number of cases. For example, in the one-page table, about 20% of Appeal Briefs filed in the left column are not accounted for in the remaining columns. The large set of tables notes that 'Ex Parte Quayle actions and miscellaneous actions are not included.' What happened to these appeals? In particular, is there any statistic kept relating to which of these appeals end with an acknowledgement that the examiner was wrong and which relate to errors by the appellant?;
- (3) Please send any statistics gathered relative to the Pre-Appeal Brief Conference Program; and
- (4) I would like any other documents that show the rate of various dispositions of patent appeals within the examining operation, before the file is transferred to the Board of Appeals."

As a preliminary matter, it appears some parts of your FOIA request seek answers to questions or explanatory information regarding released documentation. The FOIA deals in the disclosure and nondisclosure of records only. It does not require agencies to answer questions, provide exegeses or other explanatory addenda. In future FOIA submissions, please limit the requests to specific records only. Failure to do so may result in a rejection of the request as improper.

The United States Patent and Trademark Office identified 10 pages of records that are responsive to Items (1) and (2) of your request. There are no records responsive to items (3) and (4).

Since the cost of processing this request did not exceed \$20.00, the applicable fees are waived. See 37 C.F.R. § 102.11(d)(4).

The "no records" determination constitutes a denial of your request for records under the FOIA. The undersigned is the denying official. You have the right to appeal this initial decision to the Deputy General Counsel, United States Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. An appeal must be received within 30 calendar days from the date of this letter. See 37 C.F.R. § 102.10(a). The appeal must be in writing. You must include a copy of your original request, this letter, and a statement of the reasons why the information should be made available and why this initial denial is in error. Both the letter and the envelope must be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Appeal."

Sincerely,

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1900	96	2	3	0	2	27	3	0	5	93	-3	1.0	59	34
2700	1690	102	16	5	31	28	0	1	66	1726	36	19.4	1238	488
2800	1288	53	10	6	19	27	3	0	44	1297	9	14.6	938	359
2900	34	5	2	0	3	2	0	0	6	33	-1	0.4	25	8
3600	389	18	14	9	18	12	1	0	49	358	-31	4.0	216	142
3700	770	55	44	15	30	21	2	3	104	721	-49	8.1	464	257
Board Totals	8908	452	188	49	152	70	7	5	471	8889	-19	100.0	6066	2823

AFFIRMED	MODIFIED	REVERSED	REMAND	DISMISSED	W/D
39.9	10.4	32.3	14.9	1.5	1.1

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FY 1998 Cumulative Dispositions

Pending Beginning Fiscal Year	Appeals Received Fiscal Year	Affirmed	Modified	Reversed	Remands	Dismissed	Withdrawal	Total	Pending End Fiscal Year	Increase or Decrease Fiscal Year	Percent of Case Workload	On Brief Pending End Fiscal Year	Heard Pending End Fiscal Year
1522	521	198	28	163	284	19	17	709	1334	-188	15.0	798	536
2958	1415	547	62	239	147	23	28	1046	3327	369	37.4	2327	1000
85	38	11	2	9	7	1	0	30	93	8	1.0	59	34
1590	728	158	73	246	98	8	9	592	1726	136	19.4	1238	488
1268	530	156	57	171	105	8	4	501	1297	29	14.6	938	359
57	44	31	0	23	14	0	0	68	33	-24	0.4	25	8
630	162	133	60	140	96	3	2	434	358	-272	4.0	216	142
1091	341	230	109	248	107	7	10	711	721	-370	8.1	464	257
9201	3779	1464	391	1239	858	69	70	4091	8889	-312	100.0	6065	2824

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AFFIRMED	MODIFIED	REVERSED	REMAND	DISMISSED	W/D
35.8	9.6	30.3	21.0	1.7	1.7

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FY 1999 Monthly Dispositions-September 1999

Technology Center	Reporting Period	Pending Beginning Month	Appeals Received Month	Affirmed	Modified*	Reversed	Remands	Dismissed	Withdrawals	Total	Pending End Month	Increase or Decrease Monthly	Percent of Case Month
1600	9-1-99 to 9-30-99	1291	64	22	6	42	22	5	0	97	1258	-33	15.1
1700	9-1-99 to 9-30-99	3428	74	85	16	43	40	13	0	197	3305	-123	39.6
2700	9-1-99 to 9-30-99	1655	86	8	19	40	27	3	0	97	1644	-11	19.7
2800	9-1-99 to 9-30-99	1229	65	23	4	32	28	0	0	87	1207	-22	14.5
2900	9-1-99 to 9-30-99	38	3	0	0	1	2	0	0	3	38	0	0.5
3600	9-1-99 to 9-30-99	393	38	11	11	21	12	1	0	56	375	-18	4.5
3700	9-1-99 to 9-30-99	553	60	27	10	36	21	2	0	96	517	-36	6.2
Board Totals		8587	390	176	66	215	152	24	0	633	8344	-243	100.0

FY 99 Cumulative Dispositions

Technology Center	Reporting Period	Pending Beginning Fiscal Year		Affirmed	Modified*	Reversed	Panel Remands	Dismissed	Withdrawal	Total	Pending End Fiscal Year	Increase or Decrease Fiscal Year	Percent of Case Workload
1600	10-1-98 to 9-30-99	1334	464	151	34	194	121	38	2	540	1258	-76	15.1
1700	10-1-98 to 9-30-99	3420	1234	515	123	361	284	64	2	1349	3305	-115	39.7
2700	10-1-98 to 9-30-99	1726	717	159	106	334	174	25	1	799	1644	-82	19.6
2800	10-1-98 to 9-30-99	1297	525	151	60	231	159	14	0	615	1207	-90	14.0
2900	10-1-98 to 9-30-99	33	70	28	0	15	21	1	0	65	36	5	0.4

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3600	10-1-98 to 9-30-99	358	508	117	74	182	106	12	0	491	375	17	4.3
3700	10-1-98 to 9-30-99	721	522	190	107	271	142	16	0	726	517	-204	6.3
Board Totals		8889	4040	1311	504	1588	1007	170	5	4585	8344	-545	100.0

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AFFIRMED	MODIFIED*	REVERSED	REMAND	DISMISSED	W/D
28.6	11.0	34.6	22.0	3.7	0.1

The Boards Totals above are an accurate depiction of aggregate receipts and production for the fiscal year. Because the Technology Centers have been in existence less than a full year, the Technology Center statistics are estimations. Technology Center 1900 has been abolished; accordingly, the inventory for technology center 1900 has been aggregated with the inventory of technology center 1700. Of the 8344 pending appeals, 1564 are currently assigned to administrative patent judge dockets. With the exception of a limited number of appeals involving special circumstances, the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences is currently deciding appeals received at the board as follows:

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FY 2000 Monthly Dispositions-September 2000

Technology Center	Reporting Period	Pending Beginning Month	Appeals Received Month	Affirmed	Modified*	Reversed	Remands	Dismissed	Withdrawals	Total	Pending End Month	Increase or Decrease Monthly	Percent of Case Month
1600	9-1-2000 to 9-30-2000	812	19	17	11	57	13	17	0	115	716	-96	11.3
1700	9-1-2000 to 9-30-2000	2571	29	82	19	67	15	4	0	187	2413	-158	38.2
2700	9-1-2000 to 9-30-2000	1374	113	19	21	29	3	0	0	72	1415	41	22.4
2800	9-1-2000 to 9-30-2000	1014	48	18	11	32	5	0	0	66	996	-18	15.8
2900	9-1-2000 to 9-30-2000	34	8	4	0	1	1	0	0	6	36	2	0.8
3600	9-1-2000 to 9-30-2000	339	18	9	9	14	3	0	0	35	322	-17	5.1
3700	9-1-2000 to 9-30-2000	471	36	28	13	32	11	0	0	84	423	-48	6.7
Board Totals		6615	271	177	84	232	51	21	0	565	6321	-294	100.0

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FY 2000 Cumulative Dispositions

Technology Center	Reporting Period	Pending Beginning Fiscal Year	Appeals Received Fiscal Year	Affirmed	Modified*	Reversed	Remands	Dismissed	Withdrawals	Total	Fending	or Decrease	Percent
1600	10-1-99 to 9-30-00	1258	211	183	39	340	142	49	0	753	716	-542	11.3
1700	10-1-99 to 9-30-00	3305	687	581	116	522	298	58	4	1579	2413	-892	38.2
2700	10-1-99 to 9-30-00	1644	685	233	127	388	150	15	1	914	1415	-229	22.4
2800	10-1-99 to 9-30-00	1207	542	199	92	297	150	14	1	753	996	-211	15.8
2900	10-1-99 to 9-30-00	38	39	17	0	17	5	2	0	41	36	-2	0.6
3600	10-1-99 to 9-30-00	375	331	103	63	145	63	9	1	384	322	-53	5.1
3700	10-1-99 to 9-30-00	517	486	143	81	238	108	7	3	580	423	-94	6.7
Board Totals		8344	2981	1459	518	1947	916	154	10	5004	6321	-2023	100.0

^{*}Affirmed-in-Part

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AFFIRMED	MODIFIED*	REVERSED	REMANDS	DISMISSED	W/D
29.2	10.4	38.9	18.3	3.1	0.2

Of the 6321 pending appeals, 1900 are currently assigned to administrative patent judge dockets. With the exception of a limited number of appeals involving special circumstances, the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences is currently deciding appeals received at the Board as follows:

Chemical - Fiscal Year 1997 Electrical - Fiscal Year 1998 Mechanical - Fiscal Year 1999 Design - Fiscal Year 2000

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FY 2001 Monthly Dispositions September 2001

Technology Center	Reporting Period	Pending Beginning Month	Appeals Received Month	Affirmed	Modified*	Reversed	Remands	Dismissed	Withdrawal	Total	Pending End Month	Increase or Decrease Monthly	Percent of Case Month
1600	9-1-2001 to 9-30-2001	845	13	17	4	39	13	4	0	77	781	-64	15.5
1700	9-1-2001 to 9-30-2001	1733	33	99	11	59	13	2	0	184	1582	-151	31.3
2100	9-1-2001 to 9-30-2001	540	38	7	6	19	2	1	0	35	543	3	10.8
2600	9-1-2001 to 9-30-2001	698	31	5	7	35	3	1	0	51	678	-20	13.4
2800	9-1-2001 to 9-30-2001	908	31	23	8	25	4	0	0	60	879	-29	17.4
2900	9-1-2001 to 9-30-2001	23	1	9	0	4	0	0	0	13	11	-12	0.2
3600	9-1-2001 to 9-30-2001	269	16	9	13	30	9	0	0	61	224	-45	4.4

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3700	9-1-2001 to 9-30-2001	395	55	35	18	30	15	0	0	98	352	-43	7.0
Board Totals		5411	218	204	67	241	59	8	0	579	5050	-361	100.0

FY 2001 Cumulative Dispositions

Technology Center	Reporting Period	Pending Beginning Fiscal Year		Affirmed	Modified*	Reversed	Remands	Dismissed	Withdrawal	Total	Pending End Fiscal Year	Increase or Decrease Fiscal Year	Percent of
1600	10-1-2000 to 9-30-2001	716	776	169	44	283	172	43	0	711	781	65	15.5
1700	10-1-2000 to 9-30-2001	2413	819	669	101	480	352	48	0	1650	1582	-831	31.3
2100	10-1-2000 to 9-30-2001	544	335	76	33	136	83	8	0	336	543	-1	10.8
2600	10-1-2000 to 9-30-2001	871	386	125	67	256	120	11	0	579	678	-193	13.4
2800	10-1-2000 to 9-30-2001	996	660	234	72	284	169	17	0	776	879	-116	17.4
2900	10-1-2000 to 9-30-2001	36	26	25	6	16	4	0	0	51	11	-25	0.2
3600	10-1-2000 to 9-30-2001	322	323	85	60	195	75	6	0	421	224	-98	4.4
3700	10-1-2000 to 9-30-2001	424	530	158	82	234	118	10	0	602	352	-72	7.0
Board Totals		6322	3855	1541	465	1884	1093	143	0	5126	5050	-1272	100.0

^{*}Affirmed-in-Part

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AFFIRMED	MODIFIED*	REVERSED	REMAND	DISMISSED	W/D
30.1	9.1	36.8	21.3	2.8	0.0

Of the 5050 pending appeals, 2224 are currently assigned to administrative patent judge dockets. With the exception of a limited number of appeals involving special circumstances, the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences is currently deciding appeals received at the Board as follows:

Biotech - Fiscal Year 1999 Chemical - Fiscal Year 1998 Electrical - Fiscal Year 1999

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FY 2002 Monthly Dispositions-September 2002

Technology Center	Reporting Period	Pending Beginning Month	Appeals Received Month	Affirmed	Modified*	Reversed	Panel Remands	Administrative Remands	Dismissed	Total	Pending End Month	Increase or Decrease Monthly	of Caso
1600	9-1-2002 to 9-30-2002	527	14	17	9	36	8	5	3	78	463	-64	15.0
1700	9-1-2002 to 9-30-2002	864	75	143	26	80	26	5	5	285	654	-210	21.2
2100	9-1-2002 to 9-30-2002	439	28	9	7	15	3	8	0	42	425	-14	13.8
2600	9-1-2002 to 9-30-2002	609	34	7	10	38	3	8	2	68	575	-34	18.6
2800	9-1-2002 to 9-30-2002	535	28	25	12	34	3	6	0	80	483	-52	15.6
2900	9-1-2002 to 9-30-2002	6	3	3	0	0	0	1	0	4	5	-1	0.2
3600	9-1-2002 to 9-30-2002	259	45	10	7	27	3	11	2	60	244	-15	7.9
3700	9-1-2002 to 9-30-2002	291	42	14	23	42	5	8	0	92	241	-50	7.8
Board Totals		3530	269	228	94	272	51	52	12	709	3090	-440	100.0

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Technology Center	Reporting Period	Pending Beginning Fiscal Year		1	Modified*	Reversed	Panel Remands	Administrative Remands	Dismissed	Total	Pending End Fiscal Year	or Decrease	Percent
1600	10-1-01 to 9-30-02	781	315	167	36	285	84	37	24	633	463	-318	15.0
1700	10-1-01 to 9-30-02	1583	678	713	110	451	117	183	33	1607	654	-929	21.2
2100	10-1-01 to 9-30-02	543	305	101	34	167	15	102	4	423	425	-118	13.8
2600	10-1-01 to 9-30-02	678	524	125	76	266	27	126	7	627	575	-103	18.6
2800	10-1-01 to 9-30-02	872	365	206	86	273	19	162	8	754	483	-389	15.6
2900	10-1-01 to 9-30-02	10	18	13	0	6	1	3	0	23	5	-5	0.2
3600	10-1-01 to 9-30-02	230	422	80	52	184	27	57	8	408	244	14	7.9
3700	10-1-01 to 9-30-02	353	498	117	77	269	39	100	8	610	241	-112	7.8
Board Totals		5050	3125	1522	471	1901	329	770	92	5085	3090	-1960	100.0

^{*}Affirmed-in-Part

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AFFIRMED	MODIFIED	REVERSED	PANEL REMANDS	ADMINISTRATIVE REMANDS	DISMISSED
29.9	9.3	37.4	6.5	15.1	1.8

Of the 3090 pending appeals, 2387 are currently assigned to administrative patent judge dockets. With the exception of a limited number of appeals involving special circumstances, the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences is currently deciding appeals received at the Board as follows:

Biotech-Fiscal Year 2001 Chemical - Fiscal Year 2000 Electrical - Fiscal Year 2000 Mechanical - Fiscal Year 2002 Design - Fiscal Year 2002

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Technology Center	Reporting Period	Pending Beginning Month	Appeals Received Month	Affirmed	Modified*	Reversed	Panel Remands	Administrative Remands	Dismissed	Total	Pending End Month	Increase or Decrease Monthly	Percent of Case Month
1600	9-1-2003 to 9-30-2003	424	22	32	9	33	9	1	0	84	362	-62	18.4
1700	9-1-2003 to 9-30-2003	224	24	63	9	26	7	0	0	105	143	-81	7.3
2100	9-1-2003 to 9-30-2003	430	14	10	5	24	3	1	1	44	400	-30	20.3
2600	9-1-2003 to 9-30-2003	503	24	17	4	25	4	3	0	53	474	-29	24.1
2800	9-1-2003 to 9-30-2003	256	52	40	4	29	6	1	3	83	225	-31	11.4
2900	9-1-2003 to 9-30-2001	4	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	3	2	-2	0.1
3600	9-1-2003 to 9-30-2003	255	27	19	9	31	3	2	3	67	215	-40	10.9
3700	9-1-2003 to 9-30-2003	218	11	32	10	32	8	0	0	82	147	-71	7.5
Board Totals		2314	175	213	50	203	40	8	7	521	1968	-346	100.0

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Technology Center	Reporting Period	Pending Beginning Fiscal Year			Modified*	Reversed	Panel Remands	Administrative Remands	Dismissed	Total	Pending End Fiscal Year	Increase or Decrease Fiscal Year	Percent
1600	10-1-02 to 9-30-03	463	445	165	47	255	42	19	18	546	362	-103	18.4
1700	10-1-02 to 9-30-03	654	523	598	90	250	62	24	10	1034	143	-511	7.3
2100	10-1-02 to 9-30-03	425	293	92	33	148	11	30	4	318	400	-25	20.3
2600	10-1-02 to 9-30-03	575	351	123	58	197	18	46	10	452	474	-101	24.1
2800	10-1-02 to 9-30-03	483	299	212	61	209	28	36	9	557	225	-258	11.4
2900	10-1-02 to 9-30-03	5	25	13	0	14	0	1	0	28	2	-3	0.1
3600	10-1-02 to 9-30-03	244	415	90	62	212	31	43	6	444	215	-29	10.3
3700	10-1-02 to 9-30-03	241	370	118	62	219	30	31	4	464	147	-94	7.5
Board Totals		3090	2721	1411	413	1504	222	232	61	3843	1968	-1122	100.0

^{*}Affirmed-in-Part

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AFFIRMED	MODIFIED*	REVERSED	PANEL REMANDS	ADMINISTRATOR REMANDS	DISMISSED
36.7	10.7	39.1	5.8	6.0	1.6

Of the 1968 pending appeals, 1796 are currently assigned to administrative patent judge dockets. With the exception of a limited number of appeals involving special circumstances, the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences is currently deciding appeals received at the Board as follows:

Biotech -Fiscal Year 2002 Chemical - Fiscal Year 2003 Electrical - Fiscal Year 2002 Mechanical - Fiscal Year 2003 Design - Fiscal Year 2003

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Technology Center	Reporting Period	Pending Beginning Month	Appeals Received Month	Affirmed	Affirmed in Part	Reversed	Panel Remands	Administrative Remands	Dismissed	Total	Pending End Month	Increase or Decrease Monthly	of Case
1600	9-1-04 to 9-30-04	222	47	26	4	22	2	2	5	61	208	-14	21.1
1700	9-1-04 to 9-30-04	114	51	58	7	21	4	1	0	91	74	-40	7.5
2100	9-1-04 to 9-30-04	300	47	29	15	44	5	3	1	97	250	-50	25.4
2600	9-1-04 to 9-30-04	205	13	19	16	34	1	1	0	71	147	-58	14.9
2800	9-1-04 to 9-30-04	77	15	16	5	11	3	0	0	35	57	-20	5.8
2900	9-1-04 to 9-30-04	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	4	-1	0.4
3600	9-1-04 to 9-30-04	237	47	26	13	33	3	3	0	78	206	-31	20.9
3700	9-1-04 to 9-30-04	50	11	5	7	9	1	0	0	22	39	-11	4.0
Board Totals		1210	231	179	67	174	20	10	6	456	985	-225	100.0

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Technology Center	Reporting Period	Pending Beginning Fiscal Year	Appeals Received Fiscal Year	Affirmed	Affirmed in Part		Panel Remands	Administrative Remands	Dismissed	Total	Pending End Fiscal Year	Increase or Decrease Fiscal Year	Percent of Case Workload
1600	10-1-03 to 9-30-04	362	347	166	35	164	58	20	58	501	208	-154	21.1
1700	10-1-03 to 9-30-04	143	385	290	26	96	24	13	5	454	74	-69	7.5
2100	10-1-03 to 9-30-04	400	360	124	58	227	71	29	1	510	250	-150	25.4
2600	10-1-03 to 9-30-04	474	259	184	93	263	18	24	4	586	147	-327	14.9

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Board Totals		1968	2469	1282	401	1290	279	120	80	3452	985	-983	100.0
3700	10-1-03 to 9-30-04	147	342	155	63	189	35	3	5	450	39	-108	4.0
3600	10-1-03 to 9-30-04	215	538	184	73	216	52	19	3	547	206	-9	20.9
2900	10-1-03 to 9-30-04	2	18	6	0	8	2	0	0	16	4	2	0.4
2800	10-1-03 to 9-30-04	225	220	173	53	127	19	12	4	388	57	-168	5.8

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AFFIRMED	AFFIRMED IN PART	REVERSED	PANEL REMANDS	ADMINISTRATOR REMANDS	DISMISSED	TOTAL
37.1%	11.6%	37.4%	8.1%	3.5%	2.3%	100%

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Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences Receipts and Dispositions by Technology Centers for Ex Parte Appeals

FY 2005 Monthly Dispositions-August 2005

Technology Center	Reporting Period	Pending Beginning Month	Appeals Received Month	Affirmed	Affirmed in Part	Reversed	Panel Remands	Administrative Remands	Dismissed	Total	Pending End Month	Increase or Decrease Monthly	of Cas
1600	9-1-05 to 9-30-05	156	10	17	3	21	2	1	6	50	116	-40	13.2
1700	9-1-05 to 9-30-05	161	19	44	8	19	9	0	1	81	99	-62	11.2
2100	9-1-05 to 9-30-05	92	16	20	2	22	2	0	0	46	62	-30	7.0
2600	9-1-05 to 9-30-05	142	2	22	5	23	2	0	1	53	91	-51	10.3
2800	9-1-05 to 9-30-05	93	36	18	5	20	2	0	0	45	84	-9	9.6
2900	9-1-05 to 9-30-05	12	14	4	0	3	0	0	0	7	19	7	2.2
3600	9-1-05 to 9-30-05	241	149	23	9	23	6	3	0	64	326	85	37.0
3700	9-1-05 to 9-30-05	136	0	19	8	20	3	0	1	51	85	-51	9.7
Board Totals		1033	246	167	40	151	26	4	9	397	882	-151	100.0

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Technology Center	Reporting Period	Pending Beginning Fiscal Year	Appeals Received Fiscal Year	Affirmed	Affirmed in Part	Reversed	Panel Remands	Administrative Remands	Dismissed	Total	Pending End Fiscal Year	Increase or Decrease Fiscal Year	Percent of Case Workloa
1600	10-1-04 to 9-30-05	208	350	124	22	171	23	11	87	438	120	-88	13.6
1700	10-1-04 to 9-30-05	74	534	283	46	133	35	5	10	512	96	22	10.9
2100	10-1-04 to 9-30-05	250	226	138	65	210	10	4	1	428	48	-202	5.4
2600	10-1-04 to 9-30-05	147	337	142	76	166	9	5	3	401	83	-64	9.4
2800	10-1-04 to 9-30-05	57	382	159	47	122	6	4	2	340	99	42	11.2
2900	10-1-04 to 9-30-05	4	29	8	0	4	0	0	0	12	21	17	2.4
3600	10-1-04 to 9-30-05	206	657	162	67	251	33	13	3	529	334	128	37.9
3700	10-1-04 to 9-30-05	39	319	105	43	106	13	5	5	277	81	42	9.2
Board Totals		985	2834	1121	366	1163	129	47	111	2937	882	-103	100.0

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38.2%	12.5%	39.6%	4.4%	1.6%	3.8%	100%

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FY 2006 Monthly Dispositions- September 2006

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1600	9-1-06 to 9-30-06	140	52	21	7	25	5	0	2	60	132	-8	9.7
1700	9-1-06 to 9-30-06	331	43	62	12	27	11	0	2	114	260	-71	19.2
2100	9-1-06 to 9-30-06	241	31	30	9	23	0	1	0	63	209	-32	15.4
2600	9-1-06 to 9-30-06	83	21	16	3	13	0	0	0	32	72	-11	5.3
2800	9-1-06 to 9-30-06	127	24	16	4	8	2	0	0	30	121	-6	8.9
2900	9-1-06 to 9-30-06	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0.8
3600	9-1-06 to 9-30-06	382	48	18	13	24	1	2	0	58	372	-10	27.4
3700	9-1-06 to 9-30-06	210	20	17	14	17	2	0	0	50	180	-30	13.3
Board Totals		1525	239	180	62	137	21	3	4	407	1357	-168	100.0

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TECHNOLOGY CENTER	REPORTING PERIOD	PENDING BEGINNING FISCAL YEAR	APPEALS RECEIVED FISCAL YEAR	AFFIRMED	AFFIRMED IN PART	REVERSED	PANEL REMANDS	ADMINISTRATIVE REMANDS	DISMISSED	TOTAL	PENDING END FISCAL YEAR	INCREASE OR DECREASE FISCAL YEAR	PEF OF WOR
1600	10-1-05 to 9-30-06	116	410	132	31	137	25	2	67	394	132	16	(
1700	10-1-05 to 9-30-06	99	772	361	56	129	55	1	9	611	260	161	1
2100	10-1-05 to 9-30-06	62	540	183	44	157	5	2	2	393	209	147	1
2600	10-1-05 to 9-30-06	91	299	148	40	121	5	2	2	318	72	-19	!
2800	10-1-05 to 9-30-06	84	341	157	47	91	8	1	0	304	121	37	{
2900	10-1-05 to 9-30-06	19	6	5	0	7	0	0	2	14	11	-8	(
3600	10-1-05 to 9-30-06	326	587	168	77	242	42	8	4	541	372	46	2
3700	10-1-05 to 9-30-06	85	394	102	53	117	20	3	4	299	180	95	1
Board Totals		882	3349	1256	348	1001	160	19	90	2874	1357	475	1(

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